# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# AGRICULTURE
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:182
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NATIONAL FOOD SECURITY MISSION
Agarwal Shri Dhirendra

**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government has carried out any work under National Food Security Mission in Jharkhand;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the details of progress made under the said scheme?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a) to (c): Yes, Sir. The National Food Security Mission − Rice (NFSM-Rice) is in operation in Jharkhand in 5 districts namely Gumla, Hazaribagh, Ranchi, Simdega and Singhbhumi. During the year 2008-09, an amount of Rs.1276.89 lakhs has been allocated to State for implementation of NFSM-Rice in the State. In addition, an amount of Rs.30.00 lakhs has also been allocated for publicity. Against these, amount of Rs.950.412 lakh for NFSM-Rice and Rs.30.00 lakh for publicity has been released so far.